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W. R. FISH,
Secretary P. A. Band.

NOTICE.

All parties indebted to the undersigned for work done in the West End Blacksmith Shop (Michael Scherer's old stand) will please call and settle immediately, as I wish to close up the business connected with that shop.

ISAIAH McCOLL.

STRAYED!

From my premises, at the Ridge, about April 18th.

THREE MARES

One a light sorrel, with white face, grey tail and mane, about 7 years old, and two dark brown mares, one heavy in foal, about same age. The three are likely to be found together.

Any person bringing in same or giving information that will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

THOMAS SCOTT,

The Ridge.

REMOVAL!

R. T. GOODFELLOW wishes to inform the residents of the town that he has removed his Confectionery business to his

NEW STORE

Cor. River and McKay Sts.

Where he will be pleased to meet all his old customers and as many new ones as may require anything in his line of business.

Great reduction in prices. Give me a call at the new stand.

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Going to the great south of business we have no time to stop and write an add., but will do so next week. In the meantime you may mention that we have

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Order prices in proportion. Don't forget the old stand

Donaldson & Penbridge,

TELEGRAPHIC.

(By Special Telegram.)

OTTAWA, May 10.

The Opposition are continuing their attacks on the Government, and not withstanding how trivial the questions are in the midst of talk. On the matter of garrattling members last night the Opposition stated that constitutional government was a thing of the past, and a resort to force of arms was openly threatened.

The Government have been sustained three times—first time by a majority of thirty-two, in Queen's county election case; then forty-three on the abolition of the Deputy Speaker, and last night by thirty when a large number of its followers were absent. Sir John expects his majority will be fifty at the last of the session. All the bolters but two voted vote for the Government and one Nationalist who was claimed by the Liberals.

Mr. Macdowall arrived on Thursday last with Miss Macdowall, and gave his first speech the same evening. He has rented a house here for the session.

It is probable that the disaffection question, which will come before the House next week, will be defeated by a large majority, not even getting the support of the Northwest members.

In the estimates are the sum of \$5,000 for the Prince Albert Galt, \$10,000 for pensions to the Mounted Police, Prince Albert Volunteers and Scouts, and \$5,000 for improvements in the navigation of the Saskatchewan.

The House takes recess on the 18th until the 25th.

Weather hot.

A large number of immigrants are passing through to the Northwest.

QU'APPELLE, May 11.

Mr. Perley, in moving yesterday for a return of lands sold by the C. P. R., made his maiden speech and was loudly applauded.

It is rumored that McIntosh, of Ottawa, will succeed Governor Dewdney. Col. Goldie will visit McLeod, Calgary and British Columbia about the end of June, for the purpose of buying horses for the British army.

The opinion is expressed that Newfoundland will shortly be admitted into Confederation.

A Deputy Speaker will be nominated to-day.

The estimates contain \$15,000 for fisheries in Manitoba and the Northwest. \$3,000 for telegraph; \$15,000 in the Territories are estimates for five judges at \$1,000 each, and five sheriffs at \$500 each, \$500 for Council buildings, \$5,000 for buildings generally.

Healy, in British House of Commons, moved an amendment that any person summoned before a magistrate on a frivolous pretext could be an action against the magistrates for compensation. Stuart moved that the committee report progress on the bill. An exciting discussion arose on Stuart's motion, which ended by its rejection. Healy asked for a statement of the Government's views on his amendment. Smith replied that the answer had already been given in Healy's interrogation, and moved that the clause rule be applied, which was adopted. Healy's amendment was then rejected by 220 to 150.

It is expected that O'Brien's visit to Toronto will cause serious trouble. The Montreal Ministerial Association this afternoon passed a resolution condemning O'Brien's crusade.

OTTAWA, May 11.

J. W. Aspley, of Batheche fame, will be appointed to a position at Banff Park. Macdowall and other western members are endeavoring to press upon the Government the great advantage of filling offices in the Northwest with local men. They are also arguing that Dewdney's successor be chosen from residents of the Northwest.

Macdowall is working hard to secure a position for Fuleyson, with every prospect of success. He was busy all day today in visiting the Departments in the interests of his constituents.

CHIT-CHAT LOCALS.

Gathered by our Reporter.

Fine growing weather.

Mrs. Dr. Porter and Miss Macpherson left for the south on Wednesday last.

George and Harry Bird returned to town this week, and are engaged on the barracks.

Tenders for the erection of a Presbyterian Church and High School will be let shortly.

A meeting of the Directors of the Lorne Agricultural Society will take place on the 30th May.

A sale of horses will take place at the Police barracks on the afternoon of Saturday, the 14th inst.

Chief Factor Bellanger and Mr. Dalton, of the Northwest Transportation Company, left for Cumberland on Wednesday last.

The Town Council are petitioning the Governor General in Council for a plot of land on the north side of the Saskatchewan for a public park.

Mrs. Stackhouse left for the east on the last mail. She goes to Gt. Falls to join her husband, who is practicing his profession in that town.

The regular examination of the past attending St. Ann's Convent took place this week. The distribution of prizes and usual entertainment will take place early in June.

Mr. Barker, the gentleman who is constructing the registers in their district under the Torrens system, is on his way here from Edmonton, and is expected to arrive almost any day.

Fred Myers was in from Carleton Place on Monday last, and informed that seedling operations had been completed in that district, and that the prospects for a good harvest were excellent.

A McNabb, acting under instructions from the City Council, was engaged on Wednesday last taking the levels for a proposed drain along the foot of the hill south of the town to Moore & Macdowall's mill.

The improvements being made in St. Ann's (R. C.) chapel will make quite a difference in its size and appearance. The basement will have place in which to be shortly for the purpose of raising funds to defray the expense connected with the improvements.

Work on the barracks is being vigorously prosecuted, over fifty men being employed at present, and the weekly pay roll amounting to about \$1,000. It will give a diagram of the barracks as soon as the number and position of the buildings is definitely arranged.

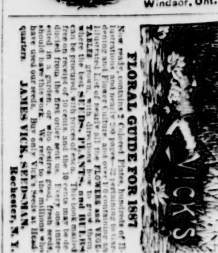
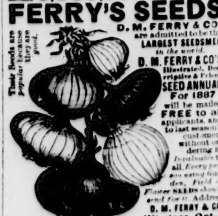
We are sorry to learn that Perry's little boy met with a serious accident a few days ago by which the right of the little finger of his right hand and two others crashed. He and Moore & Macdowall's mill and gear hand caught in the machinery wonder is that the child escaped with little injury as he did. He was well at last accounts.

W. Sainbury, operator at the office, and two assistants, arrived in town last evening. They are engaged repairing the telegraph line. The line will be removed from River street, placed on Third street, running a short line westward from the office to Mr. Gunn's house.

D. Williamson took first prize in the City Bowling Association tournament which ended yesterday, making a score of 204 out of a possible 200; John Macdowall took second, with a score of 194; Holgerson 3rd, with a score of 175; Samuel McLeod 4th, score 175; and the game was won by the scores made are very

Wm. Fawcett, contractor, is from his claim at the South River. Monday last, having come, let a portion of a house. He states the house is being used by some parties. He is crossing to poison wolves, and is endeavoring the lives of dogs to the settlers. Too much care is exercised in the use of poison

REPAIRING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.



MR. JUSTICE MCGUIRE.

Speaking of the judge appointed for this district the *Kingston Whig* (Liberal) of the 28th ult. says:—

"It is now in order for the friends of Mr. T. H. Maguire, Q. C., to congratulate him on his appointment to the position of judge of the Supreme Court of the District of Saskatchewan, N.W.T. The choice was made some time ago, it was confirmed at the Cabinet meeting on Saturday, and the Governor formally gave his sanction to it on Tuesday. It is therefore an accomplished fact, and only a matter of time, possibly less than a month, until Mr. Maguire ceases to be a resident of Kingston.

Appointments to public office nowadays, civil or judicial, are influenced by political considerations. The new courts in the Northwest Territories having been created by the present Government it was only to be expected that it would reward by appointment to the same those who were friendly to it. Over the Assiniboias, Judges Richardson and Wetmore will preside; over the Albertas, Judges McLeod and Ouellet; over Saskatchewan, Judge McGuire. A Conservative being certain of the place Mr. McGuire now fills, we have no reason to object to his selection; on the contrary, the Government has, in honoring a deserving member of the Conservative party since itself, honor also, since no one can dispute the ability of the learned gentleman and his fitness for the discharge of the duty that has been assigned to him. Mr. McGuire has been an active and useful citizen. He has given his attention to a multitude of matters, and in every occupation to which he bent his energies won credit for his fidelity. As a member of the bar, of the Council of the law and national societies, and of the church, he has been ready to do whatever he thought was best, and he had the gift of speech and the courage to take a leading position in all of them.

Political, legal and other friends will, of course, congratulate Mr. McGuire; but the *Whig* congratulates him as a journalist. It may not be generally known, but it is a fact nevertheless, that he has for a couple of years acted as the editor of the *News* and rendered a service the termination of which our contemporary must regret. Mr. McGuire was well read politically, and wrote as the better-sensured journalists of to-day are writing, with a view to interest and instruct the people in the topics of the hour. He did not outride his personality into the editorial columns, nor did he make free with the personality of others, and as a result no one could have enjoyed a more harmonious experience. He is the second person connected with the press of Kingston to ascend the bench in the Northwest, his predecessor being Mr. Joseph Ryan, whose pen, while a student and barrister-at-law in Kingston, during its otherwise idle moments, was engaged in framing newspaper articles, the pungency of some of which has been felt even to this day.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Six *Joys* is enjoying the best of health and spirits, and this fair to lead his party to victory at the next election.

Six Richard Cartwright thinks one Senator is enough for the Northwest, while Mr. Blake thinks we are not entitled to any. A wonderful unity of opinion, to be sure.

We forgot to mention that we had a call from the Calgary *Call* last week, and that we found our new visitor quite interesting. Calgary certainly cannot complain of a lack of newspapers.

The *Regina Leader* says:—A question arose a few days ago in the House of Commons amongst the older members as to the best looking man in the House, and it was unanimously decided Mr. Forster was the man. It is unnecessary to say that Mr. Macdowell was absent at the time.

There is a rumor abroad scattering stories about an intended Indian and Halfbreed marriage. Because a few Indians are moving about just now, as is natural this time of the year, and a few lazy Metis are kicking because the Government will not give them more than they ask for, and a great deal more than they deserve, is no indication that we are all going to lose our scalps. Those who circulate such stories have little wit and those who believe them should get their heads shaved and apply a little bear's grease to the place where the hair was. This process is warranted to prevent scalping.

The St. John's sailing steamers have done very badly this year.

TERRITORIAL NEWS

EDMONTON.

From the *Bulletin*, April 16th.

R. Logan and H. Fraser returned from Beaver Lake on Saturday last. Mr. Logan purchased Colin Fraser's herd of cattle, forty head, wintering at the lake, for \$1,500. Snow was all gone around the lake when Messrs. Fraser and Logan left. A few geese had arrived, also Swans. Two bears a year-old and an old one, were killed while they were there. A number of moose have been killed by Indians in the Beaver hills, near the lake, and elk are reported in the same locality.

The sale of police horses and stores at Fort Saskatchewan was well attended. A number of parties from Edmonton, Sturgeon river and Clover Bar being present. G. A. Blake was auctioneer. Bidding was spirited and the prices realized high. Nine horses were sold at prices ranging from \$40 to \$120 the average price being \$83. Twelve saddles were sold at from \$4 to \$10, three wagons at from \$17 to \$35, and a large number of boots and shoes, valises, bolsters, etc. The total amount realized was \$970.

BATTLEFORD.

From the *Herald* of April 23.

A neat marble tablet has been placed in St. George's Church to the memory of Bernard Tremont, the first victim of the insurgent Indians in 1885. It was erected by the fellow employees of the deceased in the telegraph service of the North.

The men of K. division are fixing up their wagons and transport outfit preparatory to taking the route to the South. The exact route of their departure is not yet determined on.

Tenders are asked for the erection of a bridge across the Battle river.

The rumor was current last week that small-pox had made its appearance on Sweet Grass reserve, on Battle river, and Dr. McKay was sent out to investigate. He found that the suspected case was only one of cutaneous eruption. The Indians were much frightened, but the sick man was quite easy in his own mind, as he had already had the small-pox and did not fear taking it again.

GENERAL NEWS.

CANADIAN.

One hundred and one degrees were given in Manitoba University last year.

Gustave Charles August Bijon was arrested in Montreal on the 30th ult., charged with defrauding his creditors in Belgium out of \$100,000.

The Ottawa customs receipts for April were \$29,567, against \$14,826 last year. At Montreal they were \$653,598, against \$517,508, and inland revenue \$102,314, against \$44,804.

Mrs. Eaton, of Hamilton, attempted to shoot her husband on the 30th. The green-eyed monster again.

A fire in Blyth, Ont., destroyed Drummond's store and an adjoining dwelling house. Loss heavy.

Fred Mowat, son of Hon. Oliver Mowat, has been appointed sheriff of Toronto.

Bishop Binney, of Nova Scotia, is dead.

Toronto stonemasons, carpenters and upholsterers have gone out on strike.

Rev. Dr. Dowling, of Paris, has been consecrated Bishop of Peterboro in succession to the late Bishop Jamot, in St. Mary's church, Hamilton.

Capt. Samuel Nelson has been appointed Major of the 91st.

A cablegram received by the Department of Agriculture on Saturday says:—Five steamers left Liverpool this week for Quebec, carrying 2,750 souls, chiefly English, a large proportion agricultural and many with capital.

O'Neill, Government detective, died suddenly at Ottawa on the 30th.

Years are entertained at Amherstburg, Ont., that the schooner *Louise* O'Neill has gone down with all on board.

The late Alexander Mitchell, of Mill waukee, leaves an estate worth eight millions.

Specials from Paris declare that popular feeling against Germany is rapidly rising. There is great excitement at Nancy, Tours, and Spinal, and the popular demand the liberation of Alsace-Lorraine from the German yoke.

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Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays,

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Hares Pastured FREE of Charge.

Poscorron is noted as the finest roaster in the North West Territories. Is of the rough-broiled stock, and was bred by Charles Harris, Sorol, Que. Is 7 years old. Was got by the celebrated French Canadian horse Poscorron, who trotted his mile in 2:19 at 17 years, and was sold at the age of 21 years for \$7,000.

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Dressed Flooring,	\$48
Undressed do.,	42
Dressed Siding,	48
Undressed do.,	42
Sheeting,	30
Common Lumber,	35
Dimension do.,	40

Over 75 feet extra
Lath, 75 cts. per bundle.
Shingles, \$6 50 per M.

We are prepared to Contract for Buildings as cheaply as any firm in Town

Builders paying Cash or giving good security for LARGE Orders, will have a reduction made.

MOORE & MACDOWALL.

TOWN COUNCIL.

An adjourned meeting of the Town Council took place in the Council Chamber on Monday evening last.

Present—Mayor MacArthur, and Councilors Agnew, Bain, Bratnoler and Stewart.

Thirty minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Coun. Agnew introduced a by-law to amend By-law No. 18.

A PETITION

was received from Joseph Courtney, J. R. McPhail, L. Clarke and others, asking for certain improvements in the east end of town. Referred to the Board of Works.

A COMMUNICATION

was received from H. Gibberson, District Supt. of Telegraph line, in reference to removal of telegraph poles on River street.

Coun. Agnew was instructed to have the poles put in the proper place when removed.

On motion of Couns. Stewart and Bratnoler, Couns. Bain and Agnew were appointed a committee to wait upon Pere Dommeau in reference to the cemetery.

Street Inspector Brown reported, advising that two culverts be put on McKay street, two on Queen and two on King street. Referred to the Board of Works.

On motion of Couns. Stewart and Bratnoler the Health Inspector was instructed that all yards be cleaned on or before the 10th day of June next.

On motion of Couns. Bain and Agnew the Mayor and Couns. Stewart and Bratnoler were appointed a committee to draft a petition to the Governor General in Council for a grant of land on the north side of the North Saskatchewan for a public park for the town, and to present the same at the next meeting of the Council.

The by-law to amend By-law No. 18 was read a first and second time.

On motion of Couns. Agnew and Stewart, the Council resolved, itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the by-law to amend By-law No. 18, Coun. Bain in the chair.

After considering the by-law the committee rose and the chairman reported, when the by-law was read a third time and passed, and on motion of Couns. Bain and Bratnoler was ordered to be signed and numbered.

The by-law to regulate the licensing of lively stables, hotels, restaurants, saloons, places of public resort or accommodation and feed and sale stables, was read a first and second time, when the Council resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the said by-law, Coun. Agnew in the chair. The first day of June next was the time fixed for the by-law to come in force. The fee for lively stables was fixed at \$25 a year; hotels, \$25; restaurants, \$15; saloons, refreshment houses, and places of public resort or accommodation, \$25; housing alleys, \$15; feed and sale stables, \$10.

The committee rose with leave to sit again, when the Council adjourned to meet again on Monday, 16th inst., at 7:30 p.m.

AMERICAN AND FOREIGN.

A fire in Kankakee, Ill., on May 1st, destroyed property to the value of sixty thousand dollars.

Gov. Leslie, of Montana, issued a proclamation on the 30th ult. forbidding the importation of cattle from the States of Illinois, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware, Virginia, Texas, Vermont and the District of Columbia, except upon certificates of the territorial veterinary surgeon that such cattle have been quarantined ninety days and are free from disease.

The accounts of the Colonial Exhibition have been published, and show a surplus of \$170,175. It is proposed to transfer \$100,000 of this to the Imperial Institute fund, and with the remainder settle the deficit of the Inventors' Exhibition and form a reserve fund.

Gen. Boulanger, the French Minister of War, has issued an appendix to a war pamphlet entitled "The Next Franco-German Battle." It embodies the principles of military training and tactics put into practice by Boulanger since he became Minister of War. The publication will tend to renew the war fever, and the tone of Boulanger's utterances is such as to inspire confidence in the prowess of the army.

TELEGRAPHIC.

QU'APPELLE, May 9.

An experimental farm will likely be located near Winnipeg.

Perley and Grundy, two gentlemen largely interested in Assiniboia, waited upon Sir John yesterday regarding the extension of the Canadian Pacific Southwestern branch into the Souris district.

Nothing further has been done in disallowance matters. Sir John Macdonald stated that after the delegation had seen the entire Government he could not well grant a private interview, but if they desired he would arrange another general interview. At the request of Mr. Van Horne, Brock will visit Montreal to discuss the question. Freight rates will likely be made satisfactory to Manitoba.

Cargill, of East Bruce, has introduced a bill to repeal the Scott Act.

Charlton's bill respecting public morals has been read a third time.

Capt. Price resumed the debate in the British House of Commons last evening on Gladstone's amendment that the House appoint a committee to enquire into the charges of falsehood made by the Times against Dillon. The division on Gladstone's amendment resulted in its rejection by a vote of 317 to 233. Sir Edward Clarke's amendment that no breach of privilege had been committed was then adopted.

One hundred and seventy-eight men were smothered in the Nanaimo coal mine by fire damp.

TOWN MATTERS.

The order given by the Town Council that parties bring manure, fifth and other rubbish on their premises must deposit it on King street, south of Fourth street, must be a surprise to most people. Certainly if manure is a nuisance in one part of the town it could not fail to be a nuisance in the place referred to. If our Council are desirous of doing something really in the interests of the public health, we beg to inform them that there are three dead horses in the bluff to the south of the town, and that it would be well to have them buried before the next weather comes on.

The resolution passed at the last week's meeting of the Council instructing the Clerk to communicate with Mr. Macdonald and ascertain whether the Government intend to furnish fire protection for Government buildings here, did not do much credit to the former. When the Government spends money in erecting public buildings within our corporation, we think it is the least we could do to furnish fire protection. There is such a change as being too greedy and we are afraid this is a case in point. Besides we do not know any town in the Northwest where the Government supply fire protection for Government buildings. If we are wrong we would like to be corrected.

The by-law to regulate the licensing of lively stables, hotels, saloons, restaurants, and places of public resort, and the by-law to license water carriers, draymen and hackmen, are very good as far as they go, except that the fees seem too high in some cases, and not high enough in others; but why not make one by-law do, and add butchers to the list of places to be licensed. We are sure the butchers would have no objection. In any case they should be included.

The new steel bridge on the M. & N. W., across the Assiniboine river has been completed. It is the only steel bridge on the road and is a splendid structure. The span is 300 ft. 6 in. The cost of the bridge will be between \$20,000 and \$30,000. The first train to run over it was a special containing W. R. Baker, the Superintendent, and other officials of the road. An extension of ten miles of the road is being made beyond Legunburg. The object of it is partly to accommodate a Church of England colony which is to be started there shortly, the settlers for which, it is understood, are now on the road out.

The Spanish Governor of Soolon Islands, with 800 European and native troops, aided by Spanish ships, attacked several thousand rebels at Maliberg, and defeated them after a hard battle, capturing the guns of the insurgents and making many prisoners. The town of Maliberg was looted and burned, only the Chinese residents being spared. The native chiefs have now submitted.

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